John Rogers at 81, of Yours Merrily

Theatrical Manager Who Martises for a Bride.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK HERALD. New York Herald Bureau. | London, April 8.

John R. "Yours Merrily" Rogers, the American theatrical manager and noter, who managed and married Minnie Palmer in the days of "My Sweetheart," is in England, casting about for another wife. Eighty-one cars old, he advertised recently for bride, and in Aldershot, where he is taying at present, he has received 500 unswers from women all the way rom 19 to 90 years old, offering their But "Yours Merrily" is hard

o suit.

His advertisement announced that he wished to be married and spend his desiring years in peace, comfort and hap-diness. Every day the postman brings thick batch of letters, but they are thick batch of letters, but they are assly from young girls, as Mr. Rogers ays, "too young for me." Youth and beauty are easier to find in the matriconal market than age and brains, he

mostly from young for me." Youth and beauty are easier to find in the matrimonial market than age and brains, he has concluded, and he admits that what he seeks are age and brains.

But that may not be all there is to it. The other day he confessed that the wife he wants is Miss Jane Pearce of Bristol. He says he has proposed to her and will wait for her reply as long as he thinks she may favor him. He declares he desires no young and frivolous bride, but an "elderly, sensible woman" who will be a fit companion for a man of his years. Miss Pearce, he said, is 94.

Mr. Rogers still signs all his correspondence "Yours merrily," the valedictory which gave him his moniker by which he was known in the theatrical circles of America and as he is known here to-day, where he is actively engaged, inaving done considerable work in films. He believes the present slump in the business is ascribable to the failure of managers to realize the war is over. "If they will send the wartime performers back to shoemaking and send out companies of real actors and ascresses." he declares, "the slump will end immediately."

Mr. Rogers is straight and robust and looks twenty-five years younger than he admits. He tells of having gone round the world eight times and crossed the Atlantic II7 fimes, which, being an gdd number, leaves him on this side of the ocean, where it seems likely he will remain, particularly if he has better luck in his quest for "age and brains."

Garden City Hotel Man Buys New England Place

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Arrivals from New York city recently Arrivals from New York city recently at the Garden City Hotel include: Mr. and Mrs. Walter C. Flandera, Miss Virginia Jackson, Mr. Chester Dane, Mr. J. H. MacDowell, Mr. J. C. Wilson, Gen. and Mrs. A. W. Brewster, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Calder, Mr. ind Mrs. Louis Calder, Mrs. Gerald MacDonald, Mrs. R. T. Halsey, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Watson and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. L. Zimmerman, Mr. H. E. Russell and nurty, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Swift. Mr. Edward D. Broderick, Mr. Edmund W. Peaslee, Mr. T. Dwight Partridge, Mr. J. H. Walmwight, Mr. D. W. Waddell, Mr. Dixon Boardman, Mr. J. D. Peters, Mr. Franklin Lockwood and Mr. Victor W. Page. Others were Mr. and Mrs. James W. Byrnes, Brooklyn; Mr. Benjamin Patterson, Cleveland, Ohio: Mrs. M. W. O'Brien, Alexandria, Va.; Mr. and Mrs. terson. Cleveland. Ohio: Mrs. M. W. O'Brien, Alexandria, Va.: Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Austin. Bridgeport, Conn.: Mrs. Philip Morris, Girard, Ohio: H. L. Slocum, Philadelphis, Mr. W. D. Sargent, Orange, N. J.: Mr. John Jones, Jonesville, Ohio, and Mr. C. H. Cummings, Winchester, Mass.
Mr. W. S. Dorethy has returned after a six weeks' sojourn in Hayens.
Mrs. C. L. Hammond of Chicago is visiting her son, Col. J. S. Hammond.
Mrs. R. T. Halsey and Mrs. L. Harrison Dulles have returned to their country home in East Norwich, L. L., after a stay of ten days.

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Mrs. Charles Carey of Buffalo, N. Y., has arrived for a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Charles Rumsey.

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Fame, Wants Wife

Cheatrical Manager Who Married Minnie Palmer Adver-

Mr. and Mrs. Albert E. Banning have returned to their home in Washington, D. C., after a short visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter E. Vidal.

Mrs. C. McDonald of Windsor road entertained Mr. and Mrs. J. W. O'Don-nell of West Virginia last week, who recently returned from a visit to Eng-

Mr. and Mrs. Rene Dupi and their daughter, Mrs. Nanette Aberle of Fort Wadsworth, left on Friday on board the steamer City of Chicago for Europe, where they will remain until autumn.

Mr. James Clarke of Dongan Hills has returned from Europe.

The American Girls' Club, a new organization, has been formed at Christ Church, New Brighton. The members will give a play soon.

Mrs. Harold Woods gave a silver tea at her home on Todt Hill road for the benefit of the King's Daughters of the Moravian Church last week.

The Philemon Literary Society of Tot-tenville will celebrate its twenty-fifth anniversary by holding a reception for charter members on April 17 at the Ma-

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sonic Temple. This will be followed by the annual luncheon to be held at the new Packer House at Perth Amboy on April 22. An elaborate program has been arranged for both events.

At the last meeting of Philemon Mrs. Oscar L. Joseph read a paper on "America and the Great War" and Mrs. William D. Frerichs read a paper on "A Golden Age in History."

Miss Ela E. Evans, president, named a nominating committee to select officers for 1922-1923.

mue, who is chairman of the board of trustees of Tuskegee Institute, left New York last Saturday for Alabama to attend the nuveiling of a statue of Booker T. Washington, who was a former principal and the founder of the institution. The ceremony took place on Wednesday.

Mrs. George W. Du Bois of Tottenville entertained the 500 Club at her home last week.

Miss Blanche Thompson of Pleasant

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur W. Giddes cele-brated their twentieth wedding anniver-sary at their home in Port Richmond last week by entertaining the Port Rich-mond Euchre Club.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Dsirne of Broad street entertained a large number of friends at their home last week cele-brating the eighteenth birthday of their daughter, Miss Ruth Dsirne.

The Nelson Chapter, Imperial Order Daughters of the British Empire, will hold a card party in the Staten Island Woman's Club on the afternoon of April 19. The proceeds will be for the benefit of the organization's philanthropic work. Mrs. John Crofts is the chairman of the arrangements and Mrs. E. F. Wakefield of 25 Pelton avenue has charge of the tickets.

For the benefit of its building fund the Staten Island Woman's Club held a bridge party at the club rooms on Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Koenig was in charge of the event.

Mr. William G. Willcox of Davis av-

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the name of America to the new world?
This question has been the subject of innumerable controversies, says Le Petit Parisien. Paris. Now Prof. W. Herrington, as a result of personal research of an exacting nature covering an extended period, declares that the prior claim belongs to Leonardo da Vinci.

In 1507, after the death of Christopher Columbus, says Prof. Herrington, a mannamed Martin Waldseemuller published a book demanding that the new continent, visited four times by Americo Vespucius, should bear that navigator's name.

The first map of the continent discovered by Columbus, printed at Rome in 1508, hore only the title "New World." So did a second map published in Strasbourg in 1509. And it was the map drawn in 1514 by Leonardo da Vinci which for the first time bore the name "America."

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chairman of the race meet committee. Other members include Messrs. John McE. Bowman, Louis W. Mertz, Robert W. Law, Arthur Worthen and R. V. Ruxton.

Mrs. Knute Edwards of Chicago has announced the engagement of her daughter, Miss Esther Irene Edwards, to Mr. Oakley Kissam Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kissam Brown of Greenwich.

The marriage of Miss Dorothy Rossiter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lawrence Rossiter of Greenwich, to Mr. Raymond G. Daly of Riverside, Conn., will take place at Alstone, the home of the bride's parents, on April 19. Miss Rossiter will be attended by Miss Gladys Armstrong as maid of honor. The other attendants will be Misses Dorothy. Entertainment—Notes
From Resort.

Special Dispatch to The New York Herald.
Greenwich, Conn., April 8.—The next entertainment of the Fairfield Players will be a vaudeville show. Miss Mary Lanler heads the committee in charge of the performances, which will be held early in May. Later a modern three act comedy will be produced, which probably will be the last performance of the year. The Fairfield Players is distinctly a community organization.

A junior supper and dance was given at the Field Club last Friday evening. The chaperones were Mmes. Marshal C. Bacon, Hugh W. Jackson, Ralph G. Coburn, Alfred L. Ferguson, Walter La.

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Arrivals at the Pickwick Arms include Mrs. C. W. Wood of New York city, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Bennett of Albany.

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A surprise party was given Mrs. Coulter D. Huyler, who returned this week from a trip to Bermuda, by a number of her society friends in Community Hall, Round Hill, on Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. George S. Wallen have returned from a trip of several weeks to Havana, Palm Beach and other Southern resorts. Mrs. Wallace has recovered from the serious injuries she sustained last autumn while riding with members of the Fairfield and Westchester Hunt, when her horse stumbled and fell and rolled on her, breaking a numfer should be a sustained as a bad name.

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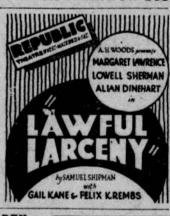
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